

### **EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT**

1. An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it **MUST** be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Chainey Singleton (Applicant's representative) on 11/05/2009.

The application has been amended as follows:

Claims 15, 21-30, and 32-36 are herein canceled; and the following claims are added.

Claim 38 (NEW) The method of claim 37, wherein the compound further comprises infant formula.

Claim 39 (NEW) The method of claim 37, wherein the compound is administered orally.

Claim 40 (NEW) The method of claim 37, wherein the compound is administered via enteral administration.

Claim 41 (NEW) The method of claim 37, wherein the compound is administered through a feeding tube.

Claim 42 (NEW) The method of claim 37, wherein the compound is administered parenterally.

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2. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to GREGG POLANSKY whose telephone number is (571)272-9070. The examiner can normally be reached on Mon-Thur 9:30 A.M. - 7:00 P.M. EST.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Ardin H. Marschel can be reached on (571) 272-0718. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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